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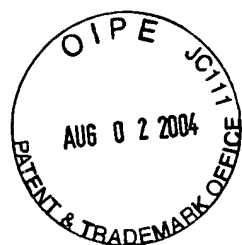
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## FORMALITIES LETTER



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity

- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE



**PATENT**  
Attorney Docket No. 227832  
Client Reference No. JF-117US

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

URATA et al.

Application No. 10/802,280

Group Art Unit: Unassigned

Filing Date: March 17, 2004

Examiner: Unassigned

For: METHOD FOR INCREASING THE  
BIOAVAILABILITY OF THE ACTIVE  
FORM OF S-[2-([1-(2-  
ETHYLBUTYL)CYCLOHEXYL]  
CARBONYLAMINO)PHENYL]2-  
METHYLPROPANETHIOATE

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS**

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Dear Sir

Applicant(s) hereby respond(s) to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated June 3, 2004.

The items checked below are appropriate:

**1. Status of Applicant**

This application is on behalf of ☒ other than a small entity or ☐ a small entity.

<b>CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.8</b>			
I hereby certify that this Response and all accompanying documents are, on the date indicated below, <input type="checkbox"/> being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop , Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, or <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> being facsimile transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Facsimile Number (703) 746-4060.			
Name (Print/Type)	John Kilyk, Jr.		
Signature		Date	August 2, 2004

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## 2. Documents Submitted Herewith

- a. ☒ Executed Declaration of inventor(s)  
 b. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission:  
     i. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)  
     ii. Specification Sequence Listing on:  
         (1) ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or  
         (2) ☐ Paper Copy  
     iii. ☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies  
 c. ☐ Verified English translation of application  
 d. ☒ Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application  
 e. ☐ Substitute Drawings  
 f. ☐ Other:

## 3. Application Filing Fee

- a. ☒ No application filing fee due  
 b. ☐ Application filing fee due in amount calculated below:

APPLICATION FEES				
			BASIC FEE	\$ 770.00
CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	
Total Claims	- 20 =		× \$18.00	\$
Independent Claims	- 3 =		× \$86.00	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claims(s) if applicable			+ \$290.00	\$
			Total of above calculations =	\$
			Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity =	\$( )
			Fee Already Paid =	\$( )
			Fee Due =	\$

## 4. Late Filing of Oath or Declaration Surcharge

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.16(e), the surcharge for filing this Response is for  
☒ other than a small entity or ☐ a small entity.

Fee Due \$130.00

## 5. Non-English Specification Surcharge

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(i), the surcharge for submitting an English translation of the non-English specification is included.

Fee Due \$ 0.00

## 6. Extension of Time

- ☐ Applicant(s) petition(s) for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$110.00.  
☒ Applicant(s) believe(s) that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant(s)



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has/have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

**Fee Due** \$ 0.00

**7. Total Fee Due**

The total fee due is:

Application Filing Fee	\$ 0.00
Late Filing of Declaration Surcharge	\$130.00
Non-English Specification Surcharge	\$ 0.00
Extension of Time Fee	\$ 0.00

**Total Fee Due: \$130.00**

**8. Fee Payment**



Attached is a check in the sum of \$




Charge Account No. 12-1216 the sum of \$130.00. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

**9. Fee Deficiency**



If any additional fee is required in connection with this communication, charge Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

  
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